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# The Banner.

L. HARPER, Editor and Proprietor.

No. 5 Kremlin, Monument Square.

MOUNT VERNON, OHIO.

FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 8, 1882

Judge Foster says he is not and will not be a candidate for Governor.

Navigation on the Welland Canal, Canada, was closed on the 30th inst.

The cost of the Egyptian war is estimated at fifteen million of dollars.

Judge White, of Springfield will be united Judge for the Southern District of Ohio.

M. de Lesseps expresses the opinion that the Panama Canal will be finished by 1888.

The Legislature of Alabama has re-elected Hon. John T. Morgan United States Senator.

The people of New York in two weeks paid \$61,803.63 to see Mrs. Langtry's pretty face.

The North Chicago rolling mills shut down for want of work, throwing nearly 2,000 men out of employment.

Hon. E. B. Eshelman, of Wooster, denies that he is an applicant for a clerkship under Secretary of State Newman.

An attempt was made in New York on Sunday last to enforce a puritanical observance of the Sabbath, but it proved a ridiculous farce.

The public debt was reduced \$5,534,142 during the month of November, and there is an available cash balance in the treasury of \$157,887,476.

The Garfield Fair, held in the rotunda of the old Hall of Representatives at Washington, has not proven as successful as the projectors anticipated.

Thurlow Weed was the father of the Anti-Masonic party and also of the Republican party. He lived to witness the death of both of his bantlings.

Governor-elect E. A. O'Neal, of Alabama, was inaugurated on Friday, at Montgomery, in the presence of the two Houses and a large assemblage of people.

A monument to the Confederate dead, unveiled at Charleston, S. C., Nov. 30th, in the presence of 15,000 people. Senator Butler delivered the oration.

Robeson's friends in New Jersey say that the cause of his defeat was the appearance of General Keifer as a stump speaker in his district. This is rough on Keifer.

The Chillicothe Advertiser says that Hon. L. T. Neal already has evidence of forty illegal votes, which were polled for Hart in one county, and the contest is not yet begun.

Will English the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Indianapolis district, has determined to contest the election of his Republican opponent, Stanton Poole.

Kentucky is entitled to the banner. On Wednesday a license was issued to Captain May, of Elizabethtown, aged one hundred and one years, to marry a girl of nineteen.

A Madison, Wis., special says: Official State vote on Congressmen—Democrats, 103,546; Republicans, 94,652; Prohibition, 14,116; Democratic plurality last year 11,387.

It is a noteworthy fact that the only heads brought to the block in Washington are those of Half-Breeds, or friends of Garfield. The guillotine does not operate on Stalwarts.

Gov. Foster finds that he talked too much with his mouth when in Washington, for his own credit, and he is now saying that no conversations, as reported, took place.

The President has appointed Clayton McMichael, editor of the Philadelphia North American, Marshal of the district of Columbia vice Henry, removed. This is a good appointment.

The physicians and the preachers over in Washington county, Pa., don't take much stock in those alleged cures by prayer, and they advise people "to go slow" in believing them.

Thurlow Weed left an estate valued at \$2,000,000. He did not make it, however, in the newspaper business, but in the purchase of real estate and stocks after he abandoned politics.

It looks a little odd to see Republican papers championing the cause of the "Butcher of P. Pillow," and claiming that he has been "cheated" in the race for Congress in Mississippi!

General Steadman named his new boy Samuel J. Tilden, and now the General is booming the elder Tilden for President in 1884. Why not the youngsters father for Vice President.

"Hell Gate," near New York is to be illuminated with the Brush-Swan electric light. The other "Hell Gate," that we often read about, will continue the use of brimstone as an illuminator.

Ex-Governor Tom Young saddles upon Gov. Foster the defeat and disaster that have overtaken the "grand old party," and he confesses that he sees no way by which the party can get out of its difficulties.

Dorsey, Mac Veagh, Brewster, and the rest of them, who have been calling each other liars and scoundrels about the Star Route business, should go to the witness stand, and tell all they know under oath.

The Jury in the case of J. D. Watson, of Columbus, charged with offering bribes to members of the Legislature, disagreed and was dismissed on Wednesday night last, standing 8 for conviction and 4 for acquittal.

"Prof. E. L. Stone Wiggins, L. L. D." is the name and title of the latest Canadian Astronomer and weather prophet. He predicts that the most destructive storm ever witnessed, will visit the United States on Sunday, March 11th, and he advises President Arthur to order all American ships to get into safe harbors by the 5th of March.

It remains to be seen if the adjourned session of the Ohio Legislature will submit to Boss Foster's attempt to dictate still further temperance legislation, after the experience of the past year. Foster's purpose seems to be to break up the "grand old Republican party," and to organize a new Temperance and morality party on its ruins. Isn't Foster a sweet-scented apostle of temperance and morality, any how?

Attorney General Brewster has his private office in Washington, furnished in a style of oriental splendor—at the expense of the poor tax-payers of the United States, of course. Brewster is hideously ugly, but dresses in the most fantastic style of old-time fashion, and drinks a great deal of Monongahela out of a cut glass decanter.

It is said that President Arthur is anxious that Secretary Folger shall hand in his resignation papers, but the latter is in no hurry about it. Seeing that the people of New York sat down upon him pretty heavily when he desired to become their Governor, he prefers Washington life for the present, until something better turns up.

Charley Foster was refused an audience with President Arthur the other day, on the ground that the latter was engaged in writing his message; but a few minutes afterwards a Stalwart visited the White House, and had a long chat with "His Excellency." Foster used to "snub" the Methodist preachers, but he now gets "snubbed" himself wherever he goes.

Our old friend James K. Newcomer has sold the establishment of the Urbana Democrat to Dr. T. M. Gumer, late of Muskingum county, and it is said that he proposes starting a Democratic paper in Medina. Bro. Newcomer is a good editor and an unflinching Democrat, and he deserves success wherever he goes.

Word now comes from Washington that Marshal Henry will, at an early day, institute a suit for criminal libel against Attorney General Brewster, for charging, in a letter to the President, that there has been crookedness in the Marshall's office, in summing jurors in the Star Route trials. On with the dance!

The Philadelphia Times well remarks that if England had spent one-half of the money in preventing or providing for the threatened Irish famine this winter that she has spent in impoverishing and crushing the national spirit out of Egypt, it would have paid her better in dollars and cents in the long run.

Gov. Foster's nomination of Judge Force, of Cincinnati, as his successor, greatly displeases George K. Nash, who wishes to be considered "the heir apparent." He declares that the Republicans of Ohio are not going to submit to Boss Charles Foster's dictation any longer. There is music in the air.

The establishment of the Mansfield Shield and Banner is offered for sale by the Administrators of the late John Y. Glessner. The paper is one of the oldest and most successful in the State, and will unquestionably be a good investment for some energetic Democratic editor and publisher.

President Arthur has appointed Thomas L. Tulloch, of New Hampshire, one of Bill Chandler's chums, Postmaster of Washington City, vice Ainger, removed. Why cannot he be found in Washington suitable to fill the local office, without importing ward politicians from abroad?

Throughout the pork producing district of North Carolina, nearly all the hogs were poisoned last week, and it is charged that the hellish work was done by tramps in the employ of Eastern packers. This is a serious charge and should be thoroughly investigated.

Why didn't President Arthur "bounce" District Attorney Corkhill when he had his hand in? We didn't know that Cork. sympathized with the Star Routes, but that he is wholly unfit for the position he holds is a fact patent to the whole American people.

D. B. Ainger, the Washington Postmaster, recently removed by President Arthur, is an Ohio man, and was formerly editor of the Bryan Press. He was appointed by "President" Hayes, and retained by President Garfield. He never trained with the Stalwarts.

Charles Foster is a nice man to talk about "Jay Hubbellism." Foster was the man to introduce bribery and corruption into the politics of Ohio. He not only fought his way into Congress, but also into the Governor's chair, by the corrupt use of money.

Tom Ochiltree, the only Republican Congressman elected in Texas, is said to be the most daring poker player in the country, and it is predicted that when he gets to Washington he will not only draw his own salary but that of a good many rural M. C.'s as well.

The season just closing has been more prosperous than any previous one on the lakes, save that of 1880. The arrivals at Chicago have been 12,477 vessels, against 12,788 in 1880. This is 3,000 more than at the port of New York in the same period.

Governor-elect Cleveland, of New York, declines the escort of an Albany military company on the occasion of his inauguration. In his letter he says: "I am exceedingly desirous that there shall be as little ceremony as possible." That is sensible.

John Mast, the most noted and troublesome of all the European Communists, and who has been an inmate of a dozen different prisons on account of his revolutionary publications, is coming to this country to add fuel to the communistic flame.

It was through the management of M. D. Helm, foreman of the Congressional Record, that printers were dismissed who refused to submit to Jay Hubbell's blackmailing operations. Helm has been treated to a dose of his own medicine.

The Philadelphia Times forcibly remarks that the people want the whole costly, demoralizing Internal Revenue system blotted out, offices and all, and the people will blot out any party that refuses to obey them on the question.

Mrs. Pickering, aged ninety, mother of J. T. Pickering, a prominent lawyer of Highland county, was buried to death at her son's residence, three miles north of Leesburg, Nov. 30th, by her clothes taking fire at the grate.

There was great excitement in St. Louis last week, occasioned by the shooting of Frank Ingels by Rush H. Tevis. Ingels was coming out of an assignation house, accompanied by Tevis' young wife. The shot took effect in the arm, but did not produce death. The lady's maiden name was Reese, she was a native of Lancaster, Ohio, and a niece of Gen. Sherman. All the parties are prominent in St. Louis society. The couple were married but a few years, and had one child. The lady was considered a "fast" girl even when she attended the Putnam Female Seminary. Mr. Tevis will apply for a divorce.

The Archbishop of Canterbury died on Sunday morning. The Archbishop passed away quietly without suffering, in the presence of his three daughters, Davidson, his son-in-law, Canon Knollys and Doctor Carpenter. On Saturday he remained in a semi-unconscious state, occasionally asking for water. About seven o'clock at night he spoke his last words: "It is coming; it is coming!" He was then seized with a sharp spasm, and his voice was not heard again, although it is believed he was partly conscious to the end. His remains will be interred in Westminster Abbey, by permission of the Queen.

If Marshal Henry, Postmaster Ainger, and the rest of them, assisted, directly or indirectly, in the defeat of justice in the Star Route trials, then the President did exactly right in dismissing them. But to brand them as criminals on the *ex parte* statements of interested parties, without an opportunity to be heard in self-defense, was an outrage upon justice and fairness. We care nothing about the men. They are all opposed to us, politically; but we believe that fair play is a jewel that even Republicans should respect.

Our heart is frequently saddened while pursuing our Pittsburgh exchanges, in reading notices of the deaths of old and valued personal friends. Amongst those who have recently departed for the better land are George P. Hamilton, Esq., Col. R. M. Gibson, both distinguished members of the Pittsburgh bar. The latter gentleman was pretty well known in Ohio, having frequently made Democratic speeches in this State and his eloquent thrilling words will long be remembered by hosts of people on this side of the Ohio river.

We have received the initial numbers of the Cincinnati News, the new Democratic paper just started in the Queen City. The issues for Saturday and Sunday were printed on a sheet the same size as the Commercial, but the subsequent numbers were four pages, about the size of the Banner. Typographically it is a "thing of beauty," and if the paper continues as it has begun it will be to the Democracy "a joy forever." The paper deserves success, and we feel confident it will succeed. Its Democracy is of the right kind.

Ex-Senator Dorsey has written a long letter denying all complicity in the Star Route frauds. He is very bitter and abusive in his reference to Ex-Attorney General Mac Veagh and Ex-Postmaster General James Ainger, in response, says "Dorsey is a thief," and that his card "is a tissue of falsehoods from beginning to end." It must be remembered that this man Dorsey is still Secretary of the Republican National Committee, and did more than any man living to make Garfield President.

The death of Dr. Updegraff will create a vacancy in the Seventeenth Congressional district, which will have to be filled by an election. As the district is largely Republican, it is presumed that his successor will be a gentleman of that political faith. Had we the selection of the candidate we would name Senator Hollingsworth, of Cadiz, who is an able, honest and conscientious man, and would make a respectable Congressman, notwithstanding his political idiosyncrasies.

The Bourbons and the Young Democracy of Ohio are discordant elements that cannot long be made to agree.—Akron Beacon.

All stuff. There are no such distinctions in the ranks of the Ohio Democracy as "Bourbons" and "Young Democracy." All the Democrats in the State, old and young, are in perfect harmony, and "work together for good" in opposition to the party of plunder, as the recent election fully demonstrated.

Page McCarthy and Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, had a war of words through the newspapers, which culminated in an incident due—that is, McCarthy made known where he could be found, near Richmond Va., but Riddleberger did not look after him, as he was advised by his friends that McCarthy could hit the bull's eye every pop, and there might be one Repudiator less in the Senate.

Hon. T. J. Updegraff, Congress-elect for the 17th district, whose severe illness we have noticed from time to time in the Banner, died at his residence in Mt. Pleasant, Jefferson county, on Wednesday, November 29th, aged 60 years. His disease was stone in the bladder. He was treated for Bright's disease, but his real ailment was only discovered by a post mortem examination.

The Columbus Sunday Herald (Rep.) says that "Mac Veagh is an ass;" that "the talk about Manning F. Force for Governor is all gabble;" and "Hayesmania is the mildest (even if the most hopeless) form of lunacy known to the medical profession." The last remark has reference to making one Rutherford B. Hayes a candidate for Governor.

The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland has renewed the rewards for the apprehension and conviction of the assassins of Lord Frederick Cavendish and the Chief Secretary, and Thomas Henry Burke, Esq., the Under Secretary, which occurred in Phoenix Park, Dublin, on the 6th of May last. The rewards aggregate \$21,500 or \$257,000.

We see it stated that Boss Mahone called at the Patent Office a few days ago to demand the discharge of Miss Jennings, of Virginia, requesting that she be sent for, and it took some time to convince him that she had been dead over two years. Mahone is a nice specimen of a "reform" statesman.

There are Democratic possibilities in the legislatures of both Nebraska and Colorado. If the Democrats get one of these States the Senate will be even y balanced, not counting Mahone and Riddleberger.

## The National Finances.

Want of room prevents us from giving the President's Annual Message in full to the readers of the Banner. His review of the operations of the Treasury Department, however, will be interesting. The ordinary revenues from sources for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882, are shown as follows: From Customs, \$220,410,730 25; from internal revenue, \$146,497,695 45; from sale of public lands, \$4,773,140 37; from direct tax, \$160,141 69; miscellaneous, \$31,703,642 52. Total net revenue, \$403,525,250 28. The surplus revenue was \$145,543,810 71. The ordinary expenditures for the same period were: For civil expenses, \$57,219,750 98; for the military establishment, including rivers and harbors, \$43,670,494 19; for the naval establishment, \$15,062,046 26; for Indians, \$9,736,747 40; for pensions, \$61,345,193 95; interest on public debt, \$71,077,206 79. Total ordinary expenditures, \$257,981,439 57.

The receipts of the Government show an increase over those of 1881 of \$22,251,054 23 in the revenue from customs; \$11,233,209 94 from the internal revenue; \$2,551,277 20 from sales of public lands; \$6,707,416 34 from miscellaneous sources, making a total increase in the net revenue of \$41,742,947 71. The total net revenue was \$403,525,250 28. The net expenditures decreased from \$260,712,887 59 to \$257,981,439 57, a reduction of \$2,731,447 39, which, added to the increase makes \$45,474,405 10 in the surplus revenue applicable to the reduction of the public debt. The expenditures on account of interest on the public debt show a reduction of \$11,331,534 39—from \$82,508,641 18 in 1881 to \$71,077,206 71 in 1882.

The excess of revenues over expenditures was \$145,543,810 08, and the amount applied to the reduction of the debt \$166,281,505 55. The amount standing on the books of the treasury to the credit of the disbursing officers of the United States at the close of the fiscal year was \$36,067,872 48.

## Dorsey's Sympathizers—The Indiana Campaign and the Delmonico Dinner.

It is an odd coincidence, writes the Washington correspondent of the New York Herald that four of the officeholders removed for alleged sympathy with the star route defendants were among the Republicans who visited Indiana in October, 1880, to give aid and comfort to Mr. S. W. Dorsey, the Secretary of the National Republican Committee, in his management of the campaign in that State. They are Detective George O. Miller, Postmaster Ainger; his assistant, Myron M. Parker, and Mr. C. E. Henry, now Marshal of the District of Columbia, but awaiting the appointment of his successor. It is said that a part of the recent letter of Mr. George Bliss to the President, not made public, contained among other things a highly commendatory paragraph about the remarkable services rendered by the government by Mr. Corkhill, the District attorney, who convicted Giteau of the murder of President Garfield, and setting forth that he ought not to be removed. The parties removed for alleged sympathy with ex-Senator Dorsey, it is said, are now anxious to know whether their visit to Indianapolis to help keep life in the "grand old party" alleged against them. It also appears that some others employed in the Pension Office who went to Indiana in 1880 to help ameliorate the condition of that State were denounced by Commissioner Dudley, who was then the Marshal of Indiana. It is feared that if this thing keeps on it will sooner or later affect all those holding government office who attended the dinner given by Mr. Dorsey at Delmonico's early in 1881. It is remembered that Mr. George Bliss, who was one of the guests, kindly loaned his invitation to that dinner to Mr. McSweney, the editor of the Indianapolis Star.

It is in his closing speech to the star route jury.

**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**

**NOTHING LIKE IT.**

The Elegant Holiday Goods Displayed by Baker Bros.

A reporter of the Banner stepped into the cozy drug store of the Baker Bros. the other day, and came upon a bery of ladies contemplating the new show case— which by the way is the finest in the city, being a double decker enclosed in ebony— which was literally filled with attractive articles for the holiday trade.

The ladies were in ecstasies over the display and gave utterance to their feelings in such expressions as "perfectly lovely," "equitable," "finest in the city," "more beautiful than ever," &c., &c. The reporter also tested his eyes, and found him not in arriving at the conclusion that the enthusiastic fair ones had not been guilty of exaggerated language, and drawing on his nose book, he jotted down a few of the leading articles for the benefit of BAKER BROS., who just at the present time are reflecting over what they shall purchase as a suitable Christmas present for the friends to be remembered at the holiday season.

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In handsome Plush and Morocco satin-lined cases are Perfume and Toilet Sets, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, Brush and Comb Cases, Whisk Broom Cases, Finger nail Sets, Sewing Cases, Puff Balls, Boxes, Plush Wall Pockets, Ladies' Toilet Articles, Fine Hand Glasses, Gent's Pocket Cases, Gent's Shaving Cases, Hair, Cloths and Flesh Brushes, Fine French Soap, all the leading and popular Perfumes and Toilet articles, and all the latest and complete line of Artistic Materials, including all sizes of Plaques of wood, glass and paper.

We have only enumerated a portion of the many attractions to be found there, and our advice to everybody seeking Holiday goods, is to not fail and pay a visit to the Baker Bros. Drug Store in the Hooker block, South Main Street.

**Of Interest to Farmers.**

The Ohio State Grange will hold a session in Mansfield, Dec. 12, 13 and 14, and a now interesting meeting is anticipated. The Grange will be addressed by various members of the Grange, and of Agriculture, 800 to 1000 patrons of husbandry are expected to be in attendance.

The National Agricultural Convention, to be held at the Grand Pacific Hotel, Chicago, will begin Tuesday, December 12, and continue four days. The attendance promises to be large, and representative of sections of the United States and all branches of agriculture. We are assured that the addresses, lectures and papers will be by the highest authorities in agriculture and its advancement are cordially invited to attend the convention and participate in its proceedings.

The Ohio Agricultural Convention will be held in the Senate chamber at Columbus on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M. Each county society in the State is entitled to send one delegate, and one or more members. The convention is held to represent the county societies or some one of them. The delegates to the convention are elected by the county societies. The convention is held to represent the county societies or some one of them. The delegates to the convention are elected by the county societies. The convention is held to represent the county societies or some one of them. The delegates to the convention are elected by the county societies.

## LOCAL NOTICES.

Denney is displaying a fine line of Christmas Goods this week.

The Celebrated Rockford Railroad Watch, in patent dust proof Cases, are kept for sale by F. F. Ward & Co.

Reliable medicines furnished at very low rates at Beardslee & Barr's Drug Store.

**A CARD.**

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretion of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City. dec-ly

Water White Coal Oil, gives a nice clear light. Sold at Beardslee & Barr's. Bring in your cans.

Breech and muzzle loading Rifles and Guns, Revolvers, Ammunition and other Sporting goods, at F. F. Ward & Co's.

There is no line of Fine Holiday Goods in Mt. Vernon, equal to those displayed by John Denney. Prices low.

Ladies' Initial Pins and Collar Buttons, latest styles at F. F. Ward & Co's.

**To Men.**

If your feet sweat or are tender, or cold, you will be relieved of all these discomforts by wearing the *ventilated rubber boot*, to be had only at VanAkins "City Hat and Shoe store," Mt. Vernon. They only need to be seen to be appreciated. Please call. Nov-24-82

All the latest designs of Bracelets, Necklaces, Lace Pins, Earrings, &c. can be found at F. F. Ward & Co's.

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F. F. Ward & Co. are displaying the finest assortment of Holiday goods in the city, and at exceedingly low prices.

A very fine assortment of Hair Brushes at Beardslee & Barr's. Call and see them.

**Removal.**

Thomas Shaw & Co., have removed to the store near north end of their old stand, where they are opening a large stock of Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, just received from some of the best manufacturers of the East. These goods will be sold at very low prices. Give them a call. oct-13

**Fur Trimmings.**

F. R. Power & Co. have received and opened the finest line of Fur Trimmings ever brought to this city. The ladies are invited to call and examine the same.

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**VENUE! VENUE!**

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On Tuesday, December 19, 1882, The goods and chattels of said deceased, consisting of 4 head of Work Horses, 2 Mch Cows, 2 head of Young Cattle, 150 head of Sheep, 3 brood Sows, 1 Boar, 5 Hogs, a large amount of Hay, 50 bushels of Oats, 74 bushels of Corn, 100 bushels of Potatoes, 1 Corn Planter, 1 Reaper, 1 Mowing Machine, 1 Hay Ladder, 1 Wheat Drill, 3 Plows, 1 Fanning Mill, 1 Hay Fork and Rake, 1 Sleigh, 1 Hay Bale, 1 Wagon, 1 Double Set of Harness, 4 Step Stools, and sundry other articles. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

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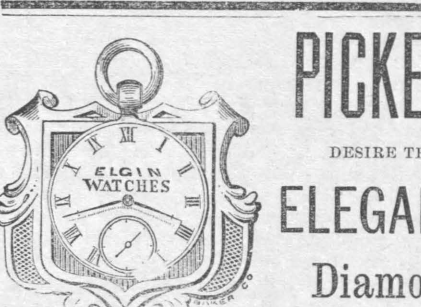
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## MT. VERNON SOCIETY.

Random Notes, Personal Points and Fireside Gossip. Contributed and Collected.

Many of the Gumbler students went home to spend Thanksgiving.

Dr. Julius Sapp and wife, of Cleveland, are the guests of the Curtis House.

Some of our Sunday schoolers are already preparing for Christmas festival.

Mr. Ed. C. Jones, of Akron, spent Thanksgiving with Mt. Vernon friends.

Hon. Columbus Delano left for Washington City, Saturday, on private business.

Mrs. Nelson Critchfield of Mt. Airy, Iowa, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. W. F. Baldwin has returned from a pleasant visit with Chicago friends.

Don, Josiah and family, of Newark, are visiting Mt. Vernon friends this week.

Miss Anna Brent, who has been visiting friends at Delaware, returned home on Friday last.

Mr. Chandler White, of Columbus, east his Thanksgiving turkey with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. E. Webb and Dr. J. W. Jones of Cincinnati, spent a few days last week at Gambier.

Miss Lottie Bosom, of Cleveland, is the guest of the Misses Isaac, on North Main street.

Mr. Dan Fleekow and Miss Mary Simpkins, both of Gambier, were married last Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Holbrook went to Columbus, Wednesday, to attend the Ohio Dental Association.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Barnes, of the Auditor's office, left for New York, Sunday with Mr. Vernon friends.

Mr. John D. Wyker, of Fredericktown, delivered a sermon at the BANNER Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Moyses, a bridal couple from Detroit, spent several days at the Curtis House, this week.

Owners of roller skates, in this city, are talking of organizing a Club and opening a rink this winter.

Mr. E. B. Duff, of the General Passenger Agent of the Blue Grass route, spent Tuesday evening in this city.

Mr. A. A. Taylor, of Loudonville, and proprietor of the Kooking Mills at this place, was in town this week.

Miss Annie Adams departed Friday morning, a few weeks ago, by a skilled operation, gave a man sight who had been blind from birth.

This is the second remarkable cure of this kind we have known him perform with the past ten months. Science can now accomplish what formerly have been called a miracle.

The doctor has been obliged to open a large hotel for the accommodation of his patients, who come from every quarter to have their sight and hearing restored.

Engineer Charles M. Halstead, who runs a freight train on the Blue Grass road, came near getting his "everlasting" at Danville, last Friday night.

Through some carelessness a switch was left open, and before he noticed it, his engine plunged in and was thrown on its side.

As he was running at slow speed no serious damage occurred. In a few minutes the engine was righted and the train proceeded on its way.

Had the accident occurred to the latter, we might have been called upon to chronicle a fearful disaster.

Columbus Dispatch, Nov. 29: The State Convention of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at Mt. Vernon on February 8, 1883.

An effort will be made to secure the services of Dr. Goodwin, formerly of this city, and now practicing in Chicago, to conduct the Bible services.

State Secretary H. F. Williams, was in this city last evening, having come over from Dayton to attend the exercises of the local society.

He says a sufficient sum has been raised to furnish new rooms and a General Secretary.

Frank I. Frayne, the actor, who appeared in "Marble" at Kirk Opera House, last winter, and gave an exhibition of his skill in marionette by shooting an apple from the mouth of a man, was in this city last week.

Anna Von Behren in the left temple, from the effect of which she died in fifteen minutes.

She was arrested and had a hearing on the charge of manslaughter, but was acquitted.

Frayne and his company accompanied the remains of Miss Von Behren to Brooklyn, on Saturday.

In Ross county, Barbara Saurice took a dose of poison (but not with fatal result) because her father abused her for marrying his hired man. Her father subsequently fired a bullet into his own head.

During the next three or four weeks a great many farmers will come in from the country to pay their taxes. This will afford a good opportunity for those indebted for the "tax" to call and settle.

Walton P. Brent, cigar dealer, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors on Monday. Assets small and liabilities not small, although he says they will not exceed a few hundred dollars.

The wife of Mr. James Smith, of St. Paul, died one day last week. They formerly lived in New York, where she was married. At one time was Mayor of the city, and the law partner of the late Col. Joseph W. Vance.

Treasurer Myers and his assistant, Bent, Dunbar, are now kept busy in receiving the December taxes. The people are "paying their rent" more promptly than usual, which is owing to the good crops of the present year.

The Postmaster General has ordered that the word "Station" be dropped from all post-offices to which it has heretofore attached. Hence, "Hunt's Station," Knox county, will hereafter be known simply as Hunt.

The Stoyles brothers are in a controversy with the Council in regard to the payment for the piles of stone-dragging which occupy the Square. The finance committee of the Stoyles have already been paid for the stone.

The winter term at the Zaneville Business College opens Jan. 1st, 1883. Our young men wanting a good business course will find this college first class in every respect. For circular address Chagrinville, Pa., Zaneville, Ohio.

The Commercial Travelers' Association had a reunion, supper and ball at Mansfield on Thanksgiving evening. It was a grand affair. Toasts, speeches, recitations, songs, etc., in abundance. The supper was one of Frank Pearson's best.

The ladies of Mansfield will give the occasion with their presence.

Messrs. Arnold & Co., announced in these columns, some weeks ago, their intention of closing their carpet business, but are now authorized to say by Mr. Arnold that the firm has purchased a heavier stock of carpets than they ever before carried, and will begin selling immediately.

The Board of Education at their regular meeting Monday night, adopted a resolution to purchase the two lots immediately north of Third Ward school house, for the use of the Presbyterian church, the compensation not to exceed \$1,500. The Board has agreed to tear down the old school house and build a new structure on the site, during next summer.

Rev. Bishop Watterson, of Columbus, officiated at St. Vincent's Catholic church on Sunday last, the church being filled to overflowing. Bishop Watterson delivered a sermon over an hour in duration on the subject of the Advent, and closed with a prayer and a lecture on the duties of parents to their children. The choir music on the occasion was excellently good.

The somewhat startling information was brought to light, Monday night, that the Journal Records of the City Council, prior to the year 1870, were in the hands of a "chaw" the city has no vault in which to preserve its archives, and it may require the services of a skilled detective and a search warrant to discover the whereabouts of the missing records.

The State Board of agriculture has issued a circular announcing Farmer's Institutes to be held throughout the State. The appointments for this county are as follows: Mt. Vernon, December 27th, to be addressed by Messrs. Chamberlain and Martin. Knox county, (places not yet appointed) on the 28th of December, to be addressed by Messrs. Chamberlain, Gould and Smith.

The telephone exchange promised our citizens by enterprising gentlemen of this city has fallen through, and they now ask that the old ordinance be repealed and a new one be granted to the same parties, as well as to land company. While telephone service would not be appreciated by our people, it is the duty of the Council to adopt measures that we will not be compelled to accept the unreasonable and exorbitant demands of this greedy corporation.

Mr. J. C. Patterson, station agent of the O. & C. railroad has placed upon our table a "Folder" recently issued by this company, which is of the most attractive and useful kind we have ever seen. The title-page and illustrations are by the American Bank Note Company and the letter press by Rand & McAlly of Chicago. The enterprising General Passenger Agent, Mr. C. K. Lord, understands the value of print ads, and for this reason the O. & C. business is bound to boom.

The Merry War, by Haverly's Opera Company, at Kirk Opera House, last Wednesday night, drew out an audience so small, numbers, that we almost feel ashamed to mention the matter. The production was by far the best ever seen in this city, and those who had the good fortune to witness it, in sense, to attend, were more than repaid by the delightful musical treat presented. The delightful female chorus, which was thought to satisfy the most critical band-head. "But, perhaps, we shouldn't have said that."

## HALCYON DAYS.

Golden Memories on a Golden Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ward Celebrate the Fifteenth Recurrence of their Wedding Day.

A happy company assembled at the residence of Mr. L. B. Ward, on Gambier street, Wednesday evening, in response to handsomely engraved invitations, printed in bronze-gold, and bearing the following legend:

1832. Golden Wedding. 1882. Compliments of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ward, for Wednesday Evening, December 21st, 1882. From three to nine P. M. Mount Vernon, Ohio.

No present was expected, the company was almost exclusively composed of the near relatives of the venerable couple, who have just completed a half century of wedded life—with its ups and downs, its cares and felicities, its crosses and rewards—still fresh in their memories. A few old-time friends and intimate acquaintances were honored with invitations, and among the guests were many of the best wishes with the three generations that have assembled on the joyous occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward were in the best of health, and played the part of host and hostess in a manner that did credit to their high sense of hospitality, and infused a spirit of good-feeling in all who were present.

Historical.

The time was passed in pleasant conversation and a revival of old-time memories, and as the venerable couple have a somewhat romantic history, a short narration of the events of their lives would seem appropriate, in connection with this notice of the golden anniversary of their wedding.

Mr. Levi B. Ward was born April 10th, 1818, at Braun, Vermont. His parents, Rufus and Elizabeth Ward, and his father followed the occupation of a farmer. In 1814 the Ward family concluded to immigrate to Ohio, and made the journey in sleighs to Ocean, New York, where the vehicles that brought them over the crisp snow from the Granite Hills, were disposed of, and a flat-bottomed boat was purchased, and the family, with their belongings, were taken to Allegheny river to Pittsburgh, and from there down the Ohio river to Marietta. Here they disposed of the flat-bottom and took passage on a keel-boat, by which they made the journey up the Muskingum river to Zanesville, and concluded to settle in that vicinity, and located on a tract of land about six miles from that city. In 1816 the Wards removed to Knox county, settling on their township, four miles South of Mt. Vernon, which was then in its infancy, and contained but a few houses, besides a tavern and two or three stores.

The family of Rufus Ward was then composed of eight children—four sons and four daughters—Levi being the youngest, and all of whom have lived except Levi and Dr. Rufus Ward, now a resident of this city.

The Wards came to this country, a Scotch-Irish family, and their father, Rufus, was a Revolutionary soldier, and assisted in the capture of the British General Burgoyne and his army, and was also present at the battle of Yorktown and the surrender of Lord Cornwallis.

Mr. Levi Ward first met Miss Freeman, who subsequently became his wife, in Hartford, Connecticut, May 24, 1814. Her parents were Luther and Roxanna Freeman. Her father went to Charleston, South Carolina, in 1817, where he established himself in the wholesale grocery business. In three months time he was recalled home by the death of his wife. He returned to his father's home, and with his two children—Mary and John—remained there for ten years. Mr. Freeman removed to Ohio and settled at Granville, and from thence to Mt. Vernon, about two years later. Mr. Levi Ward first met Miss Freeman, who subsequently became his wife, in Hartford, Connecticut, May 24, 1814.

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All Sorts of Paragraphs.

The Archbishop of Canterbury is reported dying.

A number of Circassians have been arrested at Daghestan.

Ex-Governor Hendricks expects to be at work again within two weeks.

Governor-elect Ireland, of Texas, started life as a hostler, at \$8 a month.

The physicians expect that Gambetta will be convalescent in a few days.

Ex-Senator Morton's monument is to be unveiled at Indianapolis next May.

Jumbo, at Bridgeport for the winter, eats three hundred pounds of hay per day.

General Gordon, of Georgia, sailed from Queenstown for home on the 19th instant.

Miss Anna E. Dickinson is said to have retired permanently from stage and rostrum.

Mrs. Annie Louise Cary Raymond says that she has retired from the stage definitely.

Professor Nichol, of Glasgow University, is writing a work on American literature.

You can send postal money orders to Belgium now. That is, if you have any money.

Francis A. Wordell, Government Pension Detective, was arrested at Detroit for heavy forgeries.

One man was killed outright and twenty wounded by a riot in Fayetteville, North Carolina, Wednesday.

W. H. Vanderbilt has given \$5,000 to help build a new armory for the Seventy-first New York Regiment.

Representative Hazeltine, of Missouri, has harvested 13,000 barrels of apples from one orchard this year.

In the Sturla murder trial at Chicago, the defense is trying to prove that the prisoner is of unsound mind.

Postmaster Ainger, dismissed by Arthur, is mentioned as a Michigan candidate for the United States Senate.

The Creek Indians, who fought for the Union during the rebellion, are asking the Government for pensions.

Corporal Blouchier, schoolmaster, at Fort McHenry, has accepted a position on the staff of the Khedive of Egypt.

William Graham and wife, of New York City, the other day, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding.

Cetywayo is residing as a free man at his former place of detention, near Cape Town, pending his return to Zululand.

Of the hundred or more marriage associations that two months ago were doing business in Texas, but one remains.

Suicide is said to be increasing in Prussia, the figures have risen from 13 per 100,000 population in 1869 to 18 in 1880.

Wendell Phillips has recently made to the Boston Public Library a gift of 1,398 bound volumes and 4,682 pamphlets.

In the dead body of a whale that was washed ashore near Westboro, Conn., was found a harpoon stamped 1836.

Jesse and Abraham Good, of Bellaire, two young fellows, are getting notorious as train robbers and rascals generally.

The internal revenue collections of the Fourth Ohio (Cincinnati) district for the month of November were \$1,077,401.71.

Governor-elect Bate, of Tennessee, is put up by the Murfreesboro News for Vice President on the Democratic ticket in 1884.

The enormous sum of \$202,000,000 is invested in the submarine cables of the world, supposed to aggregate 64,000 miles in length.

R. Porter Lee, late President of the Buffalo First National Bank, was sentenced to ten years imprisonment for embezzlement.

A colored crank from Pittsburgh, calling himself Roscoe Conkling, tried to obtain admission to the President, one day last week.

Professor Kovacs, of the Royal Hungarian University, who is now traveling in the West, is "amazed and delighted with America."

Egypt is the name of a new oil region in Venango county, Penna. The name seems appropriate inasmuch as there is a Nile well there.

Charles H. Reed, one of Guiteau's attorneys, is in Washington, arguing that the Government to pay him \$5,000 for defending the assassin.

Six thousand petitions, bearing 679,000 signatures, in favor of a Sunday Closing Bill for England, have already been presented to Parliament.

The 8,000 persons thrown out of employment by the troubles over the wages question in the boot and shoe factories at Montreal, are still idle.

A bill making the enforcement of the liquor law more stringent was killed in the Vermont Senate, Wednesday, and the Legislature adjourned sine die.

Oscar Wilde's brother wants to come to the United States too. He has written some poetry and thinks that he can humbug the American people.

Richardson, Sarony's artist, who has been photographing Mrs. Langtry, says she is not by a great deal the most beautiful woman he ever negatived.

Edward Williams, the foreman of some sewer builders at Richmond, Ind., had his legs blown off by the explosion of a nitro glycerine cartridge, Wednesday.

Henry Casterman, Jr., furniture manufacturer, Cincinnati, made an assignment, Wednesday, to Charles C. Nichols. The assignee's bond was fixed at \$26,000.

A writer to the San Francisco Call asserts that Arabi Bey is none other than Karl Anderson, who ran away from his father, a Stockholm green-grocer, in 1840.

The robbery of three thousand dollars from the Washburn ticket office at Adrian, Michigan, by a former employe, on October 15th, has just been discovered.

It is stated that a project is on foot to light the town of Bloomington, Ill., with natural gas, which is to be obtained from a large well recently discovered in that locality.

Reuben F. Curry, a colored man of Masseyville, Ross county, was bound over to court in \$500 for attempting to kill James Davis, colored, on three separate occasions.

On Sunday morning last burglars entered the house of Mr. J. D. Wagner on the Detroit road, near Cleveland, and carried away over \$20,000 worth of notes, money and jewelry.

Joseph Cook is uniquely described by the Gospel Banner as "the Boston gentleman who gave the plan upon which the universe was created his unequalled personal endorsement."

On Wednesday, a little four-year-old daughter of Thomas Harris was burned to death, near West Mansfield. She was playing with lighted shavings, which set her clothing on fire.

Lotta, the actress, in an equity suit at Boston against Benj. F. Randall & Co., with which firm she was in partnership in a cotton transaction, was awarded \$13,000. Lotta claimed \$21,000.

Hon. James Pike, a well-known writer and politician, ex-United States Minister to the Hague, and formerly associate editor of the New York Tribune, died suddenly at Calais, Me., Wednesday.

Frank James has been indicted by the Federal Grand Jury of the North Alabama district for alleged complicity in the Muscle Shoals robbery, and he will be taken there for trial at the next term of the Federal Court.

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